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DOCKET NO.: KAW-215-USAP

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Yoshikazu SAKAMOTO, et al.

Serial No.: 09/456,833

Art Unit: 3713

Filed: December 7, 1999

Examiner: J. Hotaling

For: GAMING MACHINE

TRANSMITTAL



Assignment Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231
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Sir: TRANSMITTED HEREWITH IS

A RESPONSE, AN AMENDMENT, AN AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL,

IN THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9(f) is established
by a verified statement under 37 CFR §1.27 previously submitted.
 submitted herewith.

No additional fee is required, as shown below.

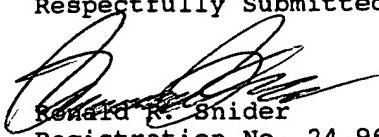
x Check for \$90.00 for 5 claims in excess of the 22 already paid for in this case

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CLAIMS PENDING AFTER AMENDMENT		CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID		NEW CLAIMS EXTRA	ADDITIONAL FEES			
					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
TOTAL	27	MINUS	22	= 5	x\$9=	0.00	x\$18=	90.00
INDEP	6	MINUS	6	= 0	x40=	0.00	x\$80=	0.00
NEW MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				0	x\$135=	0.00	x\$270=	0.00
AND CLAIMS DEPENDENT THEREON				0	x\$135=	0.00	x\$270=	0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE					0.00		90.00	

This amount is believed to be correct, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2816. This authorization applies to both filing fees under 37 CFR §1.16 and processing fees (such as extension of time) under 37 CFR §1.17. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is attached.

Respectfully Submitted,



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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of
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Washington, D.C. 20231
Box:

Amendt
#9/B
10/3/01
B. Ross

Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated July 5, 2001. Claims 1 - 22 are pending in this application and have been rejected.

Please amend this application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning at line 16 of page 68 as follows:

B1 --The flash data selecting random number value is selected from 256 random number values from 0 to 255.--

Please amend the paragraph beginning at line 25 of page 70 as follows:

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